issued to the record owner, and payments made thereon are credited to the proper ledger accounts.

\$ 201.16 Assessments. The annual per acre charge for operation and maintenance shall be levied against the entire irrigable area of each farm unit or allotment to which irrigation water can be delivered from present constructed works. Charges shall become due and payable in accordance with the annual public notice issued each year, and the provisions of the annual notice regarding refusal of delivery of water in case of delinquency shall be enforced.

Cross Reference: For public notice of annual charges, see §§ 221.95, 221.96 of this chapter.

§ 201.17 Interference with project operation. No persons other than those specifically designated by the project engineer are authorized to regulate project structures or to interfere in any way with project operated canals or any works appurtenant thereto, or the water flowing therein.

§ 201.18 Crop and statistical report. A crop and statistical report on forms furnished for that purpose will be taken each year by the ditchrider or some person authorized to do so. This report will show the number of acres devoted to each crop, total yield and value of crops for each unit of the project and for the entire project.

§ 201.19 Cooperation between water users and project employees. Close cooperation between the project water users and the project management is desired, and will work to the advantage of the entire project. Suggestions looking to better or more economical service will be welcomed by the project management. Information as to damage or danger to canals or structures shall be immediately reported to the nearest project employee.

§ 201.20 *Complaints*. All complaints must be made in writing to the project engineer.

§ 201.21 Disputes. In case of dispute regarding application of rules and regulations and decisions of the project engineer made pursuant thereto, appeal may be made to the proper supervising engineer who will adjust the matter or refer same to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs whose decision will be final.

Part 202—Pueblo Indian Lands Benefited by Irrigation and Drainage Works of Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District, New Mexico

§ 202.1 Acreage designated. suant to the provisions of the act of March 13, 1928 (45 Stat. 312) the contract executed between the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District of New Mexico and the United States under date of December 14, 1928, the official plan approved pursuant thereto, as modified, and the terms of section 24 of a contract between said parties dated September 4, 1936, dealing among other things with the payment of operation and maintenance and betterment assessments by the United States to the District, and section 24 of a similar contract dated April 8. 1938 executed by the representative of the United States, on this date, it is found that a total of 20,242.05 acres of Pueblo Indian lands of the Pueblos of Cochiti. Santo Domingo, San Felipe, Santa Ana, Sandia and Isleta is susceptible of economic irrigation and cultivation and is materially benefited by the works constructed by said District. This acreage

is designated as follows: Acres with recognized water Lands rights not subject to operation and maintenance or betterment charges by the District and designated as "now irrigated"__ 8.847 Lands classified as "newly reclaimed" lands (exclusive of the purchased area) ______ 11,074.4 Lands classified as newly reclaimed lands (the area recently purchased) _____ 320.65 Total irrigable area materially benefited_____ 20, 242. 05 (45 Stat. 312) [22 F. R. 10641, Dec. 24, 1957]

Part 203—Concessions, Permits and Leases on Lands Withdrawn or Acquired in Connection With Indian Irrigation Projects

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